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BOERS AGAIN ACTIVE.

They Show up in Force at Several
Important Points.

OCCUPY WINDSORTEN

Communication of the British Force at
Warren Threaten to Be Inter-
rupted—British Make Cap-
ture of Boer Convoy.

London, May 1.—The Boers are now showing uncommon activity west of Bloemfontein. They are in force between Fourteen Streams and Kimberley. On Sunday they occupied WINDSORTEN, west of the railway and now threaten to interrupt the communications of the British force at Warren, to the north.

This too, at a time when General Hunter is about to start on a 200 mile march to Mafeking probably with 5000 men. To the east of Bloemfontein the Boers are holding the hills near Thabanchu and behind them long wagon trains, loaded with wheat for the Boer army north are moving through Ladybrand.

The British captured one Boer convoy on Saturday, but its size is not mentioned in the dispatches which barely announce the fact. Wepener, lately the scene of incessant fighting, is deserted. General Brabant and Colonel Dalgetty having moved northward.

A dispatch from Maseru dated Monday says:

The Basutos are a second time astounded to see the Boers peacefully retiring with herds which the natives think should be the booty of the British who are said to be the conquerors.

According to information from Maseru the main body of the Boers reached the Leeu river, due west of Ladybrand on Sunday, small parties trailing behind at intervals of 10 miles to protect the rear and whip up the herds.

Slight outpost actions take place daily beyond Karoo Siding, where the head of the British invasion is stationed.

An African horse disease has broken out in General Buller's army. It has proved especially fatal among freshly arrived animals.

The Bloemfontein correspondents have pointed out that the deficiencies in the veterinary department cause thousands of losses.

Gen. Lucas Meyer, replying to Gen. Buller's complaint that some British prisoners at Pretoria are lodged in the town jail says that only those are so treated who tried to escape or are suspected of trying to escape. No reports, moreover, that Boer prisoners are confined in jail at Pietermaritzburg with natives.

The morning paper give special prominence to the statement of a news agency that Sir Redvers Buller sent his resignation to General Roberts after the Spionkop censures were published and that General Roberts declined to accept it.

The war specials consist chiefly of detached scraps, the favorite introduction of the military commentators and editorial writers being that, as only scant news has been wired, something big is probably about to happen.

BOERS PERSISTENT.

They Make Attacks on Thabanchu but
Accomplish Nothing.

London, May 1.—The following dispatch has been sent by Roberts to the war office:

Bloemfontein, April 30.—Boers made very persistent attacks round Thabanchu Saturday and Sunday. But the position which the Eighth (Rundell's) division holds was very strong, and he had the assistance of Gordon's and Dickson's brigades, cavalry under French, and Smith-Dorrien's infantry brigade and a body of mounted infantry under Ian Hamilton. Pole-Carew's division returned from Dewetsdorp yesterday.

Roberts also reported additional casualties sustained during the fighting Friday around Thabanchu, consisting of Lieutenant Geary and two enlisted men killed and one officer and three enlisted men wounded.

Neither the commander-in-chief nor the correspondents' dispatches throw any light on the plans being made to oust the Boers from Thabanchu vicinity and how long before a definite move will be made to assert British supremacy is only surmised. In the meantime the Boers are remarkably aggressive, especially in view of the large forces opposing them.

A special dispatch from Thabanchu, dated Monday, says they made a daring attempt to cut off a British convoy which got into broken ground between Thabanchu and Dewetsdorp, opening fire from the adjacent hills. In the nick of time General Brabant with a strong force of yeomanry returning from Wepener arrived on the scene and extricated the convoy.

The same special correspondent describes the disposition of forces at Thabanchu as follows: General Rundle is covering the advance camp facing the Boers' position to the east, where they are strongly entrenched and General Ian Hamilton and General Smith-Dorrien occupy strong positions on the road to the north.

Another dispatch says a column under General Hamilton located the Boers to the northwest and an artillery duel ensued without result. All accounts tell of much artillery firing with scarcely any casualties. It is hardly likely the forces can patiently face each other without some result.

Brabant's column is expected to join French shortly.

A number of Boers are reported to have been retiring north, but this is scarcely authoritative. Stringent measures are being adopted to prevent Boer guerrillas from securing supplies from other centers.

The little news from Thabanchu is absorbing all interest.

The Cape parliament has been summoned for June 22.

At the conclusion of General White's visit to Windsor castle Queen Victoria decorated the defender of Ladysmith with the cross and star of the Royal Victorian order. Her majesty and the soldier had a lengthy conference. It is learned that the queen was more angry than for years over the publication of the Spionkop dispatches.

A dispatch from Mafeking dated April 20, says:

"The Boers have been busy several days blowing up the railway southward. There was little firing during the past week. The town will respond cheerfully to Roberts' request to hold out another month. Fever is rife but otherwise the health of the garrison is good."

MORE HARD RAINS.

South and Southeastern Texas Again
Suffers from the Elements.

San Antonio, Tex., May 1.—The rain storm of Sunday night covered the entire southwest according to information derived from the train dispatchers.

No additional particulars have been received in regard to the cloudburst at Hondo mines, located sixty miles from C. P. Diaz, Mex.

All streams in this section are raging and low grounds were flooded by the storm.

The Aransas Pass railroad reports two bridges gone on the Kerrville branch, several washouts on the Lockhart branch and an interruption of traffic between Lott and Waco.

A washout on the Southern Pacific east of Seguin has been repaired.

Velasco Stormswept.

Velasco, Tex., May 1.—A severe storm swept over Velasco Monday morning, doing considerable damage. The blow started about 2 a. m. and lasted for three hours. Quite a number of houses were blown from their foundations. School-house was partly unroofed and loaded freight cars were rolled along the track for nearly a mile. Fortunately no one was injured. The river continues to rise slowly, but so far has only overflowed the low places.

Houses Washed Away.

Granger, Tex., May 1.—The heaviest rain of the season began falling Saturday morning, coming from all directions and continuing all day long, doing considerable damage to crops, bridges and roads. The creeks and all water courses are higher than for years, houses washed away and stock reported lost in the lowlands. Seven miles west of here lightning struck the house of Frank Lee, killing a child 5 years old and injuring another.

Rain at Laredo.

Laredo, Tex., May 1.—This city and vicinity were visited by a severe rain, wind and electric storm Sunday night, but beyond the striking of a few trees and outhouses by lightning, no damage was done.

At La Jarita, Mex., 19 miles south of here, the wind developed into a gale, which did much damage.

Higher Than for Ten Years.

Dallas, May 1.—The Trinity river is higher than for 10 years. Ther bottoms are all covered.

Albert Vogt, 60 years old, was drowned while attempting to cross.

Cattle Drowned in Tom Green.

San Angelo, May 1.—An immense rain fell Sunday night in the section around the head of middle and north Concho. These rivers rose to a height of 20 feet. Several hundred head of cattle are reported drowned along the north Concho and Grape Creek.

Cyclone in Alabama.

Selma, May 1.—A terrific cyclone and hailstorm visited Orrville. The farms of Louis Johnson, Macon Ellis and the Swan place were literally denuded of vegetation. Corn and cotton were killed and will have to be replanted. The trees were stripped of foliage. Hail stones of enormous size fell, and several cows and hogs were found dead after the storm had passed. Fences and out-houses were swept away and an enormous amount of damage done. The storm was followed by a heavy rain.

Reservation of the Sacrament.

London, May 1.—The archbishops of Canterbury and York have rendered judgment on the subject of the reservation of the sacrament. They said they were obliged to decide the Church of

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England did not allow reservation in any form, and those believing it ought to be permitted, while justified in endeavoring to get the law altered, in practicing reservation until the law is changed. The term "reservation of the sacrament" means the preservation of the characteristics of the elements, especially bread, for adoration and for use with the sick or with prisoners.

Captain Hooper Dead.

Oakland, Cal., May 1.—Captain C. L. Hooper of the United States marine service is dead. He has commanded the cutters Corwin, Bear, Rush and other vessels. He commanded the cutter McCulloch in Manila after the victory of Admiral Dewey. He was a native of Massachusetts.

Suicided Before His Sweetheart.

Laredo, Tex., May 1.—A young man by the name of Rafael Garcia blew his brains out with a pistol at Saltillo, Mex., in the presence of his sweetheart because she refused his attentions.

"Gettin' Money From Home"

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Old Fiddlers.

The Old Fiddlers' Contest is now a matter of absorbing interest and will continue to be until Friday night, when the event takes place. The fiddlers are entering in numbers and the success of the contest is already assured. Following are some of the fiddlers who will contest.

A. T. Horton, Wheelock; J. W. Gee, Bryan; W. R. Stevenson, Millican; G. H. Fullerton, Tabor; J. I. Hopkins, Benchley, M. A. Posey, Bryan; H. L. Wilson, Tabor; Dr. R. H. Wilson, Kurten; J. J. Pressley, Cooks Point and others.

Judges of contest: Judge W. G. Taliaferro, Col. M. W. Sims, Capt. J. J. Adams, J. A. Myers, J. W. Johnson, A. M. Rhodes, M. Parker. Old fiddlers will be provided homes, and when they arrive apply at Webb Bros or Cole Bros and be assigned.

Tickets on sale at above places. Admission 50 cents, children 25c, no reserved seats.

Place, court house, time Friday night May 4th.

EXCURSION TO NEW ORLEANS.

Account Traveler's Protective Association Convention.

Agents of the Houston and Texas Central railroad have received instruction to sell round-trip tickets to New Orleans May 20 and 21st. Good returning until May 28th, at exceedingly low rates.

This is an opportunity for everybody in Texas to visit the Crescent City under unusually favorable auspices, and at a time when New Orleans is at her best.

A special train for the accommodation of the members of the Travelers' Protective Association and their friends will leave Dallas at 9:35 a. m. on May 20th, and all other stations on the time of train No. 2. One or more special coaches will also be run from Waco and Austin connecting with this special train, which will run through to New Orleans without change, arriving there at 7:55 on the morning of the 21st.

For rates and further particulars call on agents of H. & T. C., or address M. L. ROBBINS, G. P. & T. A., Houston, Texas.

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HONORS TO DEWEY.

People of Chicago and Western States
Cheer Him at Chicago.

Chicago, May 1.—The people of Chicago and the western states today saw and cheered Admiral Dewey at the head of the military and civic parade, which passed through the downtown business streets in a line of march that extended over four miles. From a raised and beautifully decorated grandstand, erected on Jackson boulevard by the side of the new Federal building, the admiral reviewed the parade in which nearly 100 different military and civic organizations from all parts of the state participated and which included veterans of three wars, Mexican, civil and Spanish-American, squads of sailors who were with the admiral in the battle of Manila bay, two years ago, and marching clubs of political parties. Everywhere the admiral, in the full dress uniform of his rank as admiral of the navy, was greeted cordially by densely packed throngs of people along the route.

All along the line of march office buildings and business blocks were ablaze with flags and bunting, gathered in foot-ways or stretched in long folds from roof to ground, while from a number of flag poles and windows the national colors fluttering in the breeze, with here and there the dark blue of the admiral's flag.

A chorus of 600 women, dressed in white and blue, stationed on the steps of the Art institute, grouped to form the letters of Dewey's name in blue, as the admiral was slowly driven by, the chorus sang patriotic songs, the admiral smiling and bowing to the singers until his carriage was far beyond the buildings.

Immediately after the passing of the fire department Admiral Dewey was escorted to the Union League club where luncheon and a reception was given in honor of the admiral and his wife, Lieutenant Commander Gilmore, Lieutenant Caldwell and members of the general executive and woman's reception committees.

In the evening the admiral with his aides were guests of Mayor Harrison at the University club, while Mrs. Arthur Catton gave a dinner in honor of Mrs. Dewey and members of the woman's reception committee.

REPRIMAND FOR CHADWICK.

Secretary Long Will Lecture Him on His Criticism of Schley.

Washington, May 1.—Secretary Long will formally reprimand Captain F. E. Chadwick for his recent criticisms of Rear Admiral W. S. Schley.

This will probably be to the extent of the department's action. Captain Chadwick's excellent record and the frankness with which he acknowledges the offense, while at the same time disclaiming responsibility for it, have favorably impressed the department.

Friends of Rear Admiral Schley desire that Captain Chadwick be court-martialed, especially as he has told the department that the interview in which he was quoted as criticizing rear admiral was correct. They have pointed out that the department has taken severe action in much less flagrant cases.

Captain Chadwick, beside his written statement, made an oral explanation of his conduct. He admitted that he had criticized Rear Admiral Schley but said the statements he made expressed his personal views and he had no intention of making them public through the press. He charged that a breach of faith was committed when he was quoted.

Secretary Long looks upon the Chadwick matter as similar in some respects to the case of Captain Coghlan who was reprimanded for his criticisms of the German emperor. Many officers, however, point out that the department accused Rear Admiral Schley of reprehensible conduct in a communication to congress, and as Captain Chadwick substantially reiterated this statement in a personal conversation, they do not see how he can be severely punished.

Mrs. Frederick Petrie Dead.

Chicago, May 1.—Mrs. Frederick G. Petrie, widow of Judge Petrie and for half a century a prominent figure in the Methodist church, is dead here at the home of her son-in-law, Rev. M. W. Satterfield. She was 85 years of age. Mrs. Petrie, when a child, was a flower girl for Lafayette at a fête given in his honor when he revisited this country after the revolution. She was acquainted with Andrew Jackson, Henry Clay and other men who were making history years ago. She was personally acquainted with every Methodist bishop holding office during her life.

Indiana Populists.

Indianapolis, May 1.—The state convention of fusion Populists is in session here. The convention is called to elect delegates to the national convention of this wing of the Populist party which meets at Sioux Falls. The leader of the fusion wing is General J. B. Weaver of Iowa, once the nominee of the Green-back party and once the nominee of the Populists for president, is here to rally delegates.

New York Liquor License.

New York, May 1.—The total receipts for liquor license in this city for the coming year are \$859,815. This is \$6000 more than was paid last year and includes the fees for licensed saloons, hotels, restaurants, drug stores and clubs.

Brakeman Killed at Paris.

Paris, Tex., May 1.—W. E. Chambers; formerly a Texas Midland brakeman, was shot and killed in the Midland yards here.

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JOHN A. WAYLAND.

(for re-election.)

Subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

For State Senator, Twelfth senatorial district:

J. R. ASTIN.

Subject to the action of the Democratic nominating convention.

For Representative Fifty-fifth Representative district:

DR. J. L. FOUNTAIN.

Subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

For Representative Fifty-fifth Representative district:

W. H. NALL.

Subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

Hotel Arrivals.

EXCHANGE.

B F Curtis, Chicago; W J Taylor, Houston; F T Woodward, C H Langdear, Dallas; W J Kyle, Chicago; J E House, Groesbeek; B F Amos, Chicago; F L Blanchard, Galveston; Guy M Bryan Jr, City; C W Carr, Houston; F W Norris, Houston.

W H Burges, Brenham; A K Addison, A W Shelton, Whites Farm; C C Ellison and wife Miss Lula Dedmon, Navasota; C J Cunyvers, Houston; C B Hill, St Louis; B J Wilkinson, San Antonio; A P Wilson, Houston; K K Hooper, A M Ferguson, College; J D Trammell, Palestine; T B Culbreath, J R Weems; Ward Templeman, Navasota; G M Winstead, Houston; D W Douglass, Dallas; Jaques Sur, St Louis.

CENTRAL.

Richard Mitchell, Texas; John McCullough, City; G B Lloyd, Reliance; Jim Davis, Iola; B Y Young, Hearne; T R Smith, Hearne; H C Goodwin, Hempstead; S M Hume, Cedar Rapids; Rev O Shorer, Marlin; D S Williams, Waco; R L Wallis, Dallas.

EXCURSION TO LOUISVILLE, KY.

Via "Sun Route"—Account Confederate Veterans' Reunion.

For the above named occasion, agents of the Houston and Texas Central railroad have been instructed to sell excursion tickets at Louisville, Ky., May 27th and 28th, good returning until June 8th, at unusually low rates.

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Northbound No. 3..... 1:25 a. m.
Southbound No. 4..... 3:17 a. m.

LOCAL NEWS.

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There are others but none so good as Lemp's bottled beer. 150
John H. Royder came up from Wellborn yesterday.
Brook Hill Whisky—finest on earth—Exposition saloon. tf
Mr. and Mrs. Auther Jenkins have returned to Houston.
John Navartil returned home yesterday after a trip south.
Engineer Trammell of the I. & G. N., was here yesterday.
Mr. and Mrs. H. Marwilsky left yesterday to visit at Henderson.
Place your orders for choice cotton seed with R. M. Gordon & Co. 128
Dr. Drummond and J. S. Francis were here from Cottonwood yesterday.
Lost—Baby's solid gold beauty pin. Suitable reward for return to Eagle office.
Miss Lottie Hearne went to Austin yesterday to visit her sister, Miss Beatrice.
Rev. E. L. Shettles will begin revival services at the Methodist church Sunday. He will be assisted by Rev. Jno. E. Green.

Just received

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The Brazos river began falling Monday night and continued to run down yesterday. The overflow was higher than that earlier in the month, and estimated within twelve or eighteen inches of the great June flood last year. The damage has not been as heavy as might have been expected, and is chiefly confined to crops, which will have to be replanted.
Mrs. Markham extends a cordial invitation to the ladies of Bryan to call and examine the work in the 18 to 1 Gallery. Located next to the Racket Store. 128
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BOILER EXPLOSION.

Five Men Were Killed, One Seriously Injured and Two Hurt.

Tifton, Ga., May 1.—Five men were killed and three injured, one of whom probably will die, in a boiler explosion here. The explosion occurred in the sawmill of J. N. Bray & Co.

Many buildings in the vicinity of the mill were wrecked by the explosion while the sawmill of Bray & Co., was almost demolished. One-half of the boiler was blown 200 yards.

The cause of the explosion is not yet known. It occurred immediately after the whistle blew for the men to enter the mill for the day's work. The loss is about \$15,000 with no insurance.

Wheat Prospect Excellent.

Guthrie, O. T., May 1.—No better prospect for wheat was ever seen than can be found in every county of Oklahoma at this time. Wheat is two feet high and just beginning to show signs of heading, and is the present favorable conditions continue will be ready to harvest in June. A careful estimate of the acreage of the Territory puts it at 1,500,000 acres, an increase of 30 percent over last year. Every indication now points to a crop exceeding 25 bushels to the acre, but allowing only 20 bushels, the same as last year, this will give the Territory a crop of 30,000,000 bushels.

Fitzsimmons Wins the Fight.

New York, May 1.—At the Hercules Athletic club Monday night Bob Fitzsimmons proved that he was far from being a dead one. In less than two minutes he knocked out Ed Dankhorst, the Syracuse giant, a feat which others and bigger men had found impossible. Fitzsimmons showed that his wonderful hitting powers have not forsaken him and he was as lively on his feet as ever, but had little time in which to display the fact. The bout was booked to go 25 rounds.

Man Dies of Glanders.

Denton, Tex., May 1.—David Robinson died near Pilot Point last week from the effects of a bite by a horse afflicted with glanders. He was administering medicine to the animal, when it bit him. Soon afterward he developed a disease, the indications of which were the same as those of glanders in horses, and died in agony. Sores broke out all over his body and it is supposed that he contracted glanders from the horses bite.

Mississippi Democratic Primaries.

Jackson, May 1.—The Democratic state executive committee has ordered a state primary June 2 to select delegates to the Kansas City convention and to choose the presidential electors to be placed on the Democratic ticket. This is the first time in history that a primary has been held in Mississippi for these purposes. A resolution was adopted by the committee endorsing Bryan and the Chicago platform.

Lynching in Mississippi.

Webb, Miss., May 1.—George Gordon, a desperate negro, was hanged at Albin Sunday night by a mob. Gordon became involved in a difficulty with Manager Skinner of the Robinson plantation and the latter was badly beaten by the negro who fired several shots at Skinner. Gordon was caught by a posse and hanged to the limb of a tree.

Bryan at Port Huron.

Port Huron, Mich., May 1.—Nearly all the leaders of the Michigan Democracy and hundreds of the rank and file came to Port Huron for the purpose of seeing and hearing W. J. Bryan and attending the state convention which will meet today to select delegates to the national convention. Mr. Bryan addressed a crowd of 4000.

Santa Fe Extension.

Guthrie, O. T., May 1.—A surveying corps of the Santa Fe left Pawnee Saturday to survey for the extension of the Oklahoma Eastern railway from Pawnee to Bartlesville, I. T. This extension will give Guthrie a route to Kansas City and St. Louis 75 miles shorter than the present routes.

Coal Mines on Fire.

Bristol, Tenn., May 1.—Report has just reached here that Tom's Creek Coal mines in Virginia have been on fire since Sunday. Two men are reported as having lost their lives Sunday and another is believed to have perished Monday. The mines are isolated and news is difficult to secure.

Soldiers Return Home Again.

San Francisco, May 1.—The first battalion of the Fourteenth United States infantry, which has been in quarantine after two years of hard fighting in the Philippines, has landed and has been escorted to Presidio.

Ran Over by a Train.

San Antonio, May 1.—A Mexican named Guadalupe Romero, aged 70 years, was run down and fatally injured by an International and Great Northern train here. He died at the hospital.

Supposed to Be the Plague.

Port Said, May 1.—Two fatal cases of what is believed to be bubonic plague have been officially reported here.

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20c ladies stock collars, assorted colors at..... 12c
15c Gents fine suspender at..... 10c
One lot linen towels with fringe worth 20c pair at..... 12½c
One lot linen towels large and pretty at..... 18c
15c yard assorted color madras cloth at..... 10c
\$1 ladies oxford shoes at..... 75c
50c children shoes, black only at..... 39c
One lot good matting worth 17c yard at..... 12½c
One lot 32x76 floor rugs, this lot go for..... 98c
75c ladies Parasols with steel rod at..... 50c
500 fine reading novels worth 15c, 20c, and 25c at..... 4, 5, 7c
75c white counterpanes 2½ yards wide at..... 49c
Youth Balbriggan shirts and drawers worth 50c each.. 29.

GRANITE Department.

3-pint enameled milk pans worth 12c at..... 7c
4-pint enameled milk pans worth 15c at..... 9c
4-quart enameled milk pans worth 25c at..... 15c
1½-quart enameled pudding pans worth 15c at..... 8c
2½-quart enameled pudding pans, worth 25c at..... 13c
5-quart enameled pudding pans worth 35c at..... 19c
2-quarts enameled lip sauce pans worth 25c at..... 17c
4-quart enameled lip sauce pans worth 35c at..... 22c
14-quarts enameled drip pan worth 50c at..... 35c
17-quart enameled drip pan worth 65c at..... 39c
8-quart enameled persern kettle worth 50c at..... 35c
10 quart enameled persern kettle worth 65c at..... 45c
2-gallons cooking pots with handle and top worth \$1 at..... 65c
1-quart enameled coffee pot worth 35c at..... 25c
2-quart enameled coffee pot worth 45c at..... 29c
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Cincinnati, Ohio,
July 12th to 15th.

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Louisville, Ky.,
May 30th to June 3rd.

TRAVELER'S PROTECTION ASS'N,
New Orleans, La.,
May 22th to 26th.

INDUSTRIAL CONVENTION,
Chattanooga, Tenn.,
May 8 to 11th.

CUMBERLAND PRESBYTERIAN CON.,
Chattanooga, Tenn.,
May 17 to 24.

MYSTIC SHRIHE,
Washington, D. C.,
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WILL NOT USE FORCE

Government Satisfied With Concessions Made by the Sultan.

FORCE IS AGITATED.

Former Minister Angell, Some Politicians and Even Ministers Urge Use of Navy—Senate Passes the Alaskan Code Bill.

Washington, May 1.—Naval coercion of Turkey to obtain a settlement of the American missionary claims is not contemplated by the administration. This statement is made upon high authority. Drastic measures against the Turk have been urged by Former Minister Angell, by politicians and by ministers of the gospel, and the secretary has not considered their suggestions.

The administration is well satisfied with the concessions made by the sub-



SULTAN ABDUL HAMID.

lime porte, and while it is anxious that the sultan shall keep his promise to pay the claims, it feels that he has already been considerate to this government in permitting the reconstruction of the American mission in Harpoot, and in the extension of Robert's college in Constantinople.

ALASKAN CODE BILL.

It Is Passed by the Senate and the Army Bill Taken Up.

Washington, May 1.—The senate has passed the Alaskan Code bill. After passing the bill the senate took up the army appropriation bill.

The conference report on the joint resolution relating to the administration of civil affairs in Puerto Rico and providing for the appointment of temporary officers on the island was agreed to in the senate.

A house bill authorizing both the district and circuit courts of the United States for the southern district of Mississippi to be held at Biloxi, Miss., was passed.

Resolutions offered by Mr. Jones of Arkansas were agreed to calling for information regarding the alleged irregular practices of William H. Theobald, special treasury agent at New York.

A bill was passed to provide for the establishment of the intersection of the true one hundredth meridian with Red river, to ascertain the amount of taxes collected by Texas, in what was formerly known as Greer county, and the expenditures made on account of said county by the state of Texas and for other purposes.

In explanation of the bill, it is stated that for a long time the county of Greer was in dispute between the state of Texas and Oklahoma Territory, and during the pendency of the dispute the expenses of the courts and system of education of Greer were paid from the treasury of Texas. The bill as passed lays a foundation for a claim against the United States for the money expended by the state of Texas.

The house passed the Lacey bill to enlarge the powers of the department of agriculture and to prohibit interstate commerce in game killed in violation of local laws. It authorizes the secretary of agriculture to provide for the induction of undesirable foreign birds and animals and prevents the killing of game in violation of state laws for concealed shipment to states where it can be sold in the open markets.

Allen Inaugurated.

San Juan, May 1.—The inauguration of Charles Robert Allen, formerly assistant secretary of the United States navy, as the first American civil governor of the island took place today. The ceremony was most impressive.

Senate Confirmations.

Washington, May 1.—The senate has confirmed the following nominations: W. W. Howe to be attorney for the eastern district of Louisiana.

J. J. Hollander of Maryland, treasurer of Porto Rico.

O. A. Mitscher of Oklahoma, agent for the Indians of the Osage agency in Oklahoma.

P. A. Hazzard, postmaster at Colorado, Tex.

E. H. Clark, postmaster at Victoria, Tex.

M. Hoeffe of Missouri, third secretary of the embassy of the United States at the City of Mexico.

Train Goes into the Bay.

San Francisco, May 1.—The engine and seven empty cars on the Santa Fe road were thrown into the bay from the new Santa Fe wharf in this city by the breaking of an apron. No one killed as far as known.

NECESSARY FOR FUNDS.

Why Turkey Wants an Increase in Her Custom Duties.

Constantinople, May 1.—The circular issued by the porte relative to increasing the customs duties states the raising of the duties to 11 per cent is more in the nature of a project than decision. It invites the embassies to acquiesce. The circular maintains the provisional measure is rendered necessary by the exigencies of the financial situation and requests the embassies to appoint delegates to conclude new treaties. The trade has been issued prohibiting the importation all electrical apparatus, including bells.

Ismael Kenal Bey, well known for his friendliness for Great Britain, who was recently appointed vali of Tripoli, which appointment is tantamount to exile, has mysteriously disappeared. He embarked Saturday with the German colonel, Von Ruedgisch, who also is going to Tripoli for the purpose of reorganizing the military defensive works there, on board the dispatch boat Fuad. The captain of the vessel, not having orders to sail, Ismael Kenal Bey and Colonel Von Ruedgisch, landed during the evening. Subsequently the newly appointed vali disappeared and no one knows his present whereabouts. It is believed he has been planning to escape abroad with his three sons.

The affair has produced a great sensation at the yildiz kiosk, because of the flight of Ismael is hardly less important than that of Mahmoud Pasha, the sultan's brother-in-law, who disappeared from Constantinople Dec. 14 last, and it is considered another symptom of the state of affairs in Turkey.

Methodist Conference at Chicago.

Chicago, May 1.—The arrival of the board of bishops from Illinois and the assembling of delegates from many Illinois points commenced visible activities of the Methodist general conference of 1900. One of the most important questions to come before the conference was passed on by the Chicago ministers Monday when they voted against any change in the amusement rules of the church discipline. The conference committee on seating delegates was in session all Monday afternoon and evening determining by lot the positions of the 124 conferences to occupy on the floor at the general sessions. Bishop Thomas Bowman will open the first session tomorrow morning.

Brilliant Occasion.

Chicago, May 1.—Never in the history of the great auditorium has there been within its walls a sight more beautiful than that revealed last night when the great ball given in honor of Admiral Dewey was at its height. There have been several occasions without number in the great hall, dances for charity, balls in honor of illustrious civilians, famous soldiers and distinguished foreigners, but this was the first time that Chicago has had within her gates as a guest a distinguished representative of the American navy; the first time she has been permitted to pay her tribute of honor and respect to the victor of Manila bay, and she utilized the opportunity to the full.

Nebraska Republicans.

Lincoln, May 1.—The Republican state convention will be called to order in this city tomorrow afternoon for the selection of a full state ticket and delegates to the national convention. It is generally conceded that Charles H. Dietrich of Hastings will be nominated for governor and resolutions will be adopted quite similar to those recently passed by the conventions of Ohio and Indiana, including to a certainty a plank on the trust question.

W. J. Bryan Contributes.

Salem, Ills., May 1.—Mrs. L. M. Kagy, a prominent member of the Woman's Relief Corps, has received a letter from W. J. Bryan, inclosing a check for \$25 which he desired to be applied to the fund being raised by the corps for the erection of a monument here to the memory of the unknown dead soldiers and sailors of all wars. This is the fund to which several weeks ago President McKinley contributed \$20.

Humphreys Bill Signed.

Albany, May 1.—Governor Roosevelt has signed the Humphreys bill amending the general corporation law prohibiting foreign stock corporations from doing business in the state when the word trust, bank, banking, insurance, assurance, indemnity, guarantee, guaranty, savings, investment, loan or benefit is part of its corporate title, except where it conforms to the banking or insurance laws of the state.

Kipper Trial On.

El Paso, Tex., May 1.—In the Kipper case the court overruled a motion to quash the indictment, also a change of venue. After exhausting one panel, four jurors, three Americans and one Mexican, were accepted. Kipper is one of the negro soldiers who attempted to rescue companions from the guardhouse here in which one of the policemen were killed.

Aged Farmer Murdered.

Ottumwa, Ia., May 1.—Josiah Carr, an aged farmer living five miles north of here, was brutally murdered by unknown men. His body was found in a cellar where he had been dragged. The old man lived alone and was considered well to do.

Convicted of Grand Larceny.

New York, May 1.—William F. Miller, manager of the Franklin syndicate, who was recently convicted of grand larceny, was sentenced to serve ten years imprisonment.

Woodworkers to Strike.

Minneapolis, May 1.—The woodworkers, 800 strong, have decided to go on a strike.

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